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Dextrine may insert his card in the newspaper, telling of his skill in curing certain maladies. Mr. Dextrine is a sceptical man. A man steps forth and says, "I had that trouble, and he cured me. See, there is no trace of it left." When Mr. Dextrine asks for proof from the living examples of what he says he can do, then men are convinced, and he never fails to get work.

The blind man whose sight was given him, and who was questioned by the rulers of the Jews, did not have any question in his own mind that one who could give sight was divine. His sight was an argument too strong to be disputed.

Deeds right in themselves may be completely neutralized. Much effort is rendered useless because of the spirit in which it is done. A man prayed for his disciples on that eventful night in the upper room, "That they all may be one." Then, further on in the same prayer, he said, "That they may be one as we are." Oneness of believers convinced the world that God sent Christ into the world. Again in John, Jesus says: "By this shall men know that ye are my disciples, that ye have love one toward another." The spirit of the world is selfishness, and contention and strife abound, but all such is out of place among the disciples of the Master. How often the whole work of a church or League is nullified by the contention and bickering of the members.

EPWORTH LEAGUE LESSONS

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 24.

Convincing the Word—John 17 20-23.

Passages for reference: John 9, 22, 28; 10, 37, 38; Phil. 2, 15; 1 Pet. 2, 12.

Men are convinced by argument, but not always wordy arguments. We depend too much on these. Words call out words. Arguments draw out argument. Facts have no answer. They close the lips of our opponents. The Scriptures do not try to prove that God exists. They call attention to facts that speak louder than words of his existence. God lets his works speak for him. It is our part to call attention to his works and let them convince. Jesus said, "And if, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all men unto me." We point them to Christ, and he does the convincing. "If I do not the works of my Father, believe me not. But if I do, though ye believe not me, believe the works." When John sent from the prison to inquire of Jesus whether he was the Christ, or if they were to look for another, he told John's disciples to tell him what they saw and let the works answer his question.

Every man needs to know God, of his life is a failure. Christians are in touch with both God and man. It is our business to bring them together. Granting that God would prompt us, and interest in our fellow men would make us doubly eager, to bring this about.

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR NOTES

FEBRUARY TWENTY-FOURTH.

Foreign Missions: The Kingdom in the Islands.—Isa. 42:10-13, 16, 17.

The Islands are Christ's. Ps. 72:1-10 and 18 rejoice in Him. Ps. 97:1-12. They shall glorify Him. Isa. 24 15-15.

They shall see His mercy. Isa. 41 19.

They wait for His law. Isa. 42:1-4 Judging the lules. Ezek. 39:1-7.

It is a new song indeed that the christian islands sing, for their old songs were but wailings.

Imagine how we are to praise God for all He has done for us! We shall we have the secret of the distant lands, in this great work of praising God.

Darkness—light—there is no greater transformation in all nature. It fitly represents the transformation from heathenism to Christianity.

The words of prayer made by one's own hand seems the most absurd folly; but how about the wor ship ofthose little idols called ones?

Notes from the Islands.

Lelu, king of Kusaie, Caroline Islands, has taken a year's training under the missionaries at Kusaie, and has returned to his people, where he is a Christian preacher as well as king over them.

More than two hundred of the native missionaries of the Fiji Islands were converted by the Bible alone, with no help from the mission ary.

In Sumatra there are now more than sixty thousand Christians. These are the people who in 1824 killed the pioneer Missionary and Lyman.

On the islands of Erromanga, where John Williams and four other missionaries became martyrs, a Martyrs Memorial Church has been built and, the son of the late murderers of John Williams take part in the impressive ceremony.

Seven different missionary bodies are working as a united force in the New Hebrides.

In the first five years of mission ary work in the Philippines, missions have been planted in most of the provinces of Luzon, and work has been begun in the islands of Panay, Samar, Negros, Cebu, and Leyte.

The first Protestant Filipino clergyman is the son of a man whom the Romanists insulted because he had a copy of the Bible.

A Merciful Motorman.

The passengers on a crowded crosstown car in Brooklyn one day last week felt the brakes applied with such suddenness that only a few of those who were standing withstood the jar. Then they saw the motorman jump from the platform and kneel in front of the car. Several of the passengers thought their way and were surprised to see the motorman stroking the feathers of a mother dove that sat on one of the rails with a little one under her wing.

"I've never taken a life yet," he explained as he placed them on the curb out of harm's way, "and I don't propose to start with a tame dove."—Third Rail.

In many of the cities of Holland and Germany baths are now provided once a week or oftener for all school children.

An English windmill at Reigate Heath has been turned into a church.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

INTERNATIONAL LESSON COMMENTS FOR FEBRUARY 24. BY THE REV. I. W. HENDERSON.

Subject: God's Covenant With Abram, Gen. 15:1, 5-16—Golden Text: Gen. 15:6—Memory Verses: 5, 6.

The lesson is full of promise. It has also a fulness of textual perplexities. Two stories of the events are, evidently, interwoven. Other stories of a remarkably similar character are to be found in Genesis 13 and 17. The record we are to study, and the others also, tells a single tale. The apparent differences are minor. They do not affect the central, controlling promise-story; as a consequence of and as a reward for righteousness Jehovah covenanteth with Abram that his descendants shall be beyond compute.

The lesson is replete with promises. They are obvious. A single reading will reveal them. We shall concern ourselves, however, not with the multiplicity of divine assurances, but with the single promise which, in its out-reach and implicates, concerns humanity for all time.

This promise was given by a proven God to a man of faith. The God who, as an expression of His joy in and love for His trusting servant, declared His intention to make him the father by a multitude of nations was not a God whose word had never yet been validated in experience. Abram had tried God and had found Him true. He and Hagar, Ishmael, Canaan and Egypt, at home and abroad, in prosperity and adversity, Abram had found God to be as good as His word, and to be willing always for His welfare. And the Almighty had found Abram to be a man of faith and of religious tenderness. He had found him to be a man above his fellows, fit to become the master of a larger gospel and to assume a commanding position in his own time.

The promise, in the face of the age and childlessness of Abram and Sarai that called for the largest faith in order to believing acceptance upon Abram's part. It was, from his point of view, a very unthinkable and tremendousness of the statement that such a thing could have been established had he not asked. God said, "Look that he did ask, Jehovah for a sign. It was a big promise even to a man of surpassing faith. And, after all, Abram, almost in spite of things as he was, was yet a man.

The promise was a logical one. It was perfectly possible, however stupendous it was. The eternal laws of God, controlling in heaven and upon earth, were a guarantee of its fulfillment. The word of Christ, sent by Peter that the kingdom of God and His righteousness are to be sought first and in the day of Abraham as it is in our own time. A vital faith in God is the first need and the surety of a progressive, constantly enlarging, time-transcending life. The sort of faith that Abram had, the sort of life that Abram lived, the sort of conception of Jehovah that Abram enjoyed, are the things of logical conclusions that are never to be nullified by the world-wide power that God predicted. If faith in God and righteousness are the essentials which underlie all successful life then of necessity Abram's faith had to be rewarded after the fashion that God promised. Indivisible and unfailing prosperity is founded on morals. A righteous nation is a people assured of advancement. A godly man is one whose influence never dies.

"Thou shalt be buried in a good old age," says Jehovah to Abram. And there never was a better adage than this, "the good die young." A good man never dies. Age and life he lives in accordance with all the laws of God, maintain a well as spiritual, it is a certainty that, all things being equal, he will be the last man to be translated out of this life.

Let us learn from the story of the career of Abram to have faith, to be godly; let us learn of the surpassing faithfulness of our Father. This may we be influential forever, thus shall we become the seed of Abraham, thus shall we, too, see visions.

Ye L. "Word." This is the usual language of the Old Testament in predicating divine visions. "Vision." This was a characteristic method of revelation in these days. "Shield." The Psalms so speak of God fre-quently. Reward. Better, "Thine reward is exceedingly great." The reward evidently comes because of the acts of Abram that precede the lesson. The acts are summed up in two words at the forepart of the verse: "these things." Abram had, in human language, merited favor from Jehovah, done well by Lot.

Ye. 6. "Believed." This is said in Rom. 4:3; Gal. 3:6, bases his doctrine of justification by it. This in Jas. 2:23 24, we see another use of this Scripture. Here it is used to support a contention for the saving value of good works.

Ye. 12. "Sun." It was night in verses 1 and 5. There is nothing to show that a day has intervened. Likewise there is nothing to show how many days had passed. It is possible that the material here set forth is the result of a comparison of two stories of the same event. But such a supposition is not at all necessary in order to get sense out of the verses, and the expression "Sleep." The sort that came on Adam.

Vs. 15. "Age." One hundred and twenty years.

Vs. 16. "Fourth." One hundred and twenty years. This does not coincide with 400 years. It is likely that two stories are interwoven. A generation may have been 100 years in that day. In that event the difficulty unravels itself.

WOLVES DEVOUR TWO MEN.

With the appearance of snow in Kamchatka, wolves, those grim terrors of western Europe, join their victims every year. Their first in the present year were a Paris printer and his man-servant, who went a few days ago on a sledge from the village of Ludesti to Targovesti.

For days the snow had lain thick on the ground. On their return journey the travelers were overtaken by the dusk in a forest near Ludesti and a pack of wolves attacked them. The terrified horses overturned the sledge and broke the traces, leaving the men and sledge behind and stopping until they reached the first village on the outskirts of the forest.

A searching party followed the tracks of the horses and at last found the two men in the snow, splashes of blood and tatters of what had once been clothing, which told with horrible vividness what had happened.

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Joel H. Cutchin, Mayor.
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Mrs. J. F. Hinton,
621 Oxford St., Danville, Va.

My son, who was suffering with indigestion to such an extent that he was unable to eat his meals with any appetite, and his blood was muddy, used one large bottle of your Concentrated Water. I take pleasure to state that it had the effect to clear up his blood, give him a good appetite and cure his indigestion. I consider it a valuable water.

Harry Wooding, Mayor,
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When anybody asks Abe Hicks, the Bushby orthodox meteorologist, what he thinks about the probabilities for fair weather, Mr. Hicks gives his opinion with the air of one having authority.

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But there are other times when Mr. Hicks shakes his head at the hopeful leaders of a picnic party to.

"Better plan to stay nigh shelter day, so's you can get under cover," he will say, "There's a mite o' rain a-comin' on us."—Youth's Companion.

Explained The Phenomena.

A farmer in Western Kansas was trying to hire hands to help him with his corn husking. "Johnson?" asked the farmer; "he's a good hand with the pitchfork and lazin' time."

"Bill's sleepin' off a drunk," replied the other.

"Why, what's come over him? I saw Bill drunk before in my life."

"Ye, he have," put in the inebriated loafer. "You got acquainted with him drunk and you've never seen him sober."—Kansas City Times.

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Weekly Review of Trade and Latest Market Reports.

New York.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

"Severe storms restricted new business in many sections of the country during the past week and increased the delay in making deliveries on old orders. Commodity prices advanced as a rule. Jobbers report a good demand for spring delivery, especially in dry goods, but business is retarded by slow shipments from the mills, and collections are only fair. Manufacturing plants operate at full capacity in the leading industries, although there are complaints of fuel scarcity.

Few variations are recorded in quotations of iron and steel, the industry fully maintaining its remarkably satisfactory position, although consumers find deliveries less prompt because of delays by deep snow and low temperature.

"Aside from a few upward price movements there is no change in the cotton goods situation. Less pressure to place orders is noticed in some departments, a wholesome condition, in view of the large contracts already on the books, while in other sections of the market there is still eagerness to secure future deliveries with little regard for prices.

"More speculative interest has developed in the wheat market, encouraged by called reports of winter wheat needs for Russia and wheat in relieving the famine and increased inquiries for exportes. Corn, partly held above last year's quotations, despite a movement that Indorsed large crop estimates, but foreign demand was poor.

Wholesale Markets.

Baltimore.—Flour—Dull and unchanged; receipts, 11,870 barrels; exports, 2,016 barrels.

Wheat—Firm; spot, contract, 73½@73⅝; February, 73⅝@73⅝; March, 73¼@73½; May, 81⅛@81⅜; steamer, No. 2 red, 76¼@76½; Southern, on grade, 73½@78⅝.

Corn—Firm; spot, 50@50⅛; January, 50@50⅛; March 50@50⅛; May, 51@51¼; steamer, mixed, 48@48⅛; Southern, white, 48⅜@49⅜; Southern, yellow, 47⅞@49⅝.

Oats—Firm; No. 2 white, 43⅛; No. 3 white, 42½@43; No. 2 mixed, 41¼@42.

Rye—Steady; No. 2 Western, domestic, 70@71; choice, 75.

Butter—Steady and unchanged; fancy imitation, 25@27; fancy creamery, 21@22; fancy dairy, 21@22; store packed, 17@20.

Eggs—Firm and unchanged at 24c.

Cheese—Active and unchanged; large, 14⅜; medium, 14⅜; small, 14⅝.

New York.—Wheat—Receipts, 32,000 bushels; exports, 79,350 bushels. Spot firm; No. 2 red, 82¾, elevator; No. 2 red, 83¾, f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 92¾, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, 87⅝, f. o. b. afloat.

Corn—Receipts, 50,625 bushels; exports, 1,350 bushels. Spot firm; No. 2, 56¼, elevator, and 52, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 52¾; No. 2 white, 53.

Oats—Receipts, 60,000 bushels; exports, 1,850 bushels. Spot strong; mixed oats, 26@31 pounds, 42@44; natural white, 30@33 pounds, 44@45; clipped white, 36@40 pounds, 44@46¾.

Eggs—Easier; receipts, 14,175 dozen; Pennsylvania, and near-by fancy selected white, 30@31; choice, 28@29; mixed extras, 28@29; Western firsts, 26 (official price here, 26); seconds, 25@25½.

Poultry—Alive, firm; Western fowls, 13½; turkeys, 12; dressed, Western broilers, 13@16; turkeys, 14@17; fowls, 8@14.

Philadelphia.—Wheat firm and ⅛c higher; contract grade, February, 73@73⅛. Corn firm; February, 49⅛@49⅝. Oats, firmer; No. 2 white natural, 42.

Butter firm; extra Western creamery, official price, 26c; street price, 25½; extra nearby prints, 35c.

Eggs firm; nearby fresh and Western, 24c; near-by, 24c mark. Cheese firm; New York full cream, fancy, 14¼; fair to good, 13¾@14; full cream, 13¾@14.

Live poultry firm; fowls, 13@14c; old roosters, 9@10; chickens, 10@13½; ducks, 9@15; geese, 13@14; turkeys, 14@16.

Live Stock.

New York.—Beeves—Dressed beef firm; fair demand at 7c per pound for native sides. Liverpool and London cables quote firm at 11⅝@12c per pound, dressed weight.

Calves—Veals steady, but no good veals offered. Western and barnyard calves nominal; common to fair veals, 5.75 to 6.75; dressed calves steady; city dressed veals, 8c to 14c per pound; extra do, 14c; country dressed, 8c to 12¼c.

Hogs—Nothing doing; feeders and pigs; quotations, 7.25 to 7.50.

Chicago, Ill.—Cattle—Market strong; prime to prime steers, 4.90@7.00; cows, 2.75@5.00; heifers, 2.60@5.25; bulls, 2.60@4.50; calves, 2.75@8.00; stockers and feeders, 2.75@4.30.

Hogs—Market 5@10c higher; choice heavy shipping, 6.87½@7.00; light butchers', 6.92½@6.97½; light mixed, 6.90@6.97½; choice light, 6.92½@6.97½; packing, 6.85@6.95; pigs, 6.40@6.80; bulk of sales, 6.90@6.97½.

Sheep—Market steady and unchanged; sheep, 3.50@4.75; lambs, 5.00@6.00.

WORTH REMEMBERING

At the present rate of increase the population of Europe will double itself in a century.

Over 200,000 pounds' weight of paper is used in this country yearly for the manufacture of cigarettes.

In the long history of Parliament there are few instances of sittings of the House of Commons on Christmas Day. But there is only one of Boxing Day. This happened in 1646, and 200 members took part in it.

India's cotton acreage this year is nearly a million larger than last year. The output is a record—5,165,000 bales.

Mr. Edward B. Birch, of Malaga, reports that no Spanish olive oil will find its way into the American market during 1907.

Mary Matuske, 13-year-old daughter of a Wheeler (S. D.) farmer, hauls a load of wheat daily to market and sees to its disposal.

The largest crematory in Germany is at Gotha. The number of bodies burned in it last year was 445, an increase of 56 over 1905.

The Alaska Packers Association are about to introduce the Argo Red Salmon in this market. They are the largest Salmon canners in the world, employing an army of 7500 men, with a fleet of over sixty vessels, and the Argo is the choicest Red Salmon packed. It is caught in the icy waters of Bering Sea. The flesh is very firm, of a beautiful red color and delicious flavor. It is much below the price that good qualities of Salmon have sold for in the past.

Argo Red Salmon is cheaper than beefsteak at 10 cts. per pound, because it contains more nourishment.

"Wireless."

Customer (in Postoffice)—How much for this telegram?

Clerk—One franc fifty.

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by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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When Dutton Came Back.

It is said that fifty years ago a man named Dutton lived on the present Squire Smith place, near the bridge crossing Sugar Creek, on the road to Beau Lake. One morning Mrs. Dutton had breezed to bake and sent Dutton out after an armful of oven wood, as her old stand was there —heavy wood to produce a lasting fire. Dutton was something of a humorist, and as he went out told his wife, who was something of a shrew, said to him: "Now, don't be gone five years."

The husband did not return with the wood, and his disappearance caused a big sensation. Some said he had been foully dealt with, others said that he had eloped with a woman. But nearly five years later he walked into the house with an armful of oven wood, which he threw into the wood box of the kitchen stove. His wife dropped on astonishment, whatever her feeling might have been, and she said, "carry it right out to the pigs."

Dutton carried the slop out to the pigs, as directed, and resumed his old place in the household without comment or explanation.—Aitchison Globe.

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DREADED TO EAT

A Quaker Couple's Experience.

How many persons dread to eat their meals, although actually hungry nearly all the time!

Nature never invited food should be so, for we are given a thing called appetite that should guide us to what the system needs at any time and can digest.

But we get in a hurry, swallow our food very much as we should coal into the furnace, and our sense of appetite becomes unnatural and perverted. Then we eat the wrong kind of food or eat too much, and there you are—indigestion and its accompanying miseries.

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"My husband and I have been sick and nervous for 15 or 20 years from drinking coffee — feverish, indigestion, totally unfit, a good part of the time, for work or pleasure. We actually dreaded to eat our meals.

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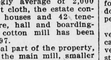

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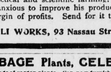

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